

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of the Claims

Claims 1-10 (Canceled)

11. (Currently Amended) Side sill automotive part as recited in claim 8 12 further including a paint film laminate covering said show surface.

12. (New) Side sill or rocker panel automotive part for attachment to an automotive frame member, said part including a top leg and an attachment leg with an intermediate section interconnecting said top leg and said attachment leg, said intermediate section having a show surface and an opposed inside surface, said top leg and said attachment leg extending away from said show surface side, a hinged joint provided adjacent said attachment leg to define an attachment leg section proximate to said hinged joint and an opposed distal end section of said attachment leg spaced from said hinged joint, said part being bendable at said hinged joint to permit pivoting of said attachment leg toward said inside surface, said distal end of said attachment leg adapted for secure attachment to said frame member.

13. (New) Automotive part as recited in claim 12, wherein said distal end of said attachment leg comprises an aperture therein.

14. (New) Automotive part as recited in claim 13 wherein said part is composed of a thermoplastic polymer.

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15. (New) Automotive part as recited in claim 14 wherein said thermoplastic polymer comprises thermoplastic polyolefin.